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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF
WERNER HÖLZL ET AL.

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AS MICROBICIDAL ACTIVE SUBSTANCES

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Kindly amend this application as follows prior to calculation of the filing fee and consideration on the merits.

Please cancel claims 1-15.

Please add claims 18-32.

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